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- 1. Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in response to the Office Action mailed November 6, 2002.
- 2. Applicant is other than a small entity.
- 3. The claims have been amended as follows:

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